

Bloomfield Record.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

MR. EDITOR.

I have been much interested in the movements in behalf of the temperance cause in our village for the last few months and have hoped much good might be accomplished, but it does seem as though there was a good deal of talk and very little work; that once in three months we have a gala day, an evening of dress parade in which a great display is made and then all is quiet in Bloomfield for another three months and then we have another dress parade. At one of the recent meetings it was stated that there was at that time 42 places in Bloomfield where liquor was sold, just think of it, 42 places in this village where liquid damnation is dealt out, and yet I am informed on credible authority that not nearly so large a number have licenses. Is there not an opportunity for work in closing up these unlicensed saloons, and in having their keepers prosecuted for violating the law? Again, the laws of our State are explicit against selling liquor on Sunday, against selling to minors and against allowing minors to play billiards, and yet nearly if not quite all of these places are flagrantly violating these laws. Is there no chance for work? Almost every Sabbath and evening crowds of boys and young men can be seen around the store fronts at the "Centre." Can nothing be done in fitting up an attractive reading room to bring them under better influences? Is there no work for the society or Churches? Again, from the newspaper reports eight saloons were licensed last week and at the next term of Court in all probability another batch of licenses will be applied for. And is here no opportunity for work in opposing the granting these requests? Local Option is looked to as the great cure-all for the evils alluded to and even if we succeed in obtaining Local Option next spring, we will have to wait nearly a year before we can reap the benefits of the bill as so many licenses will have so much of their time unexpired. And when we have succeeded in carrying Local Option will it not require effort to enforce that law as it does the laws now on the statute? Again we are met with the argument that "there is no use trying to accomplish anything with our present officers." Will it be of any more use trying when we have Local Option, as the prosecution will have to be done through the same officers? Is it true that nothing can be accomplished with our present officers? A friend of law and order and a strong temperance man and his voice has been heard even in our own village in behalf of temperance. Is it right to condemn even a Judge without a trial? Sometimes we are met with the argument that "So long as we do not take this action ourselves and do all in our power to counteract the evils of intemperance we have no right to complain." But this strikes me as not being good logic for when an individual commences action of this kind he will raise a breeze around his head that is not very pleasant and an opposition that is an organized movement will not have to meet, for its numbers give it a standing and a power in the community that an individual cannot have, and so long as there is an association or organization claiming this work as a specialty these same persons would cry down individual action as being out of place and as taking too much on one's self. And a man must have strong nerve and more back bone than falls to the lot of most men to enter on a contest with the liquor traffic single handed. The writer knows whereof he affirms in these last statements by personal experience that places him much in the position of the burnt child.

TEMPERANCE.

A Move in the Right Direction.

We are glad to learn that the young men and ladies of Bloomfield, hitherto identified with the old "Mabel Sociable," in organizing for the coming season have taken a new departure in social economy. The name of the above society has been changed to the "Mabel Association," and the constitution amended so as to bring into prominence the culture and improvement of its members in literary and scientific matters, as well as the enjoyment and recreation as heretofore in the terpsichorean art. That there is an abundance of talent among the young people of Bloomfield cannot be gainsayed. We shall look with interest for the future development of this praiseworthy feature in the Mabel. It can hardly result otherwise than largely to extend the membership, influence and usefulness of the association.

The annual election of officers took place on Monday evening, when the following named gentlemen were chosen: President, Geo. A. Zabriskey; Vice President, Louis S. Lee; Secretary, C. H. Bailey; Treasurer, Stan Farrand.

We bespeak for the New Mabel abundant success.

The Republican County Convention is to meet at Library Hall, Newark, on Friday, Oct. 17, at 2 P.M. Candidates for Sheriff, Two Commissioners of the Road Board and three Cleroners are to be nominated. The Republican Meeting to elect delegates to this Convention from Bloomfield is to be held on Monday evening next, in the Lecture Room, at 8 o'clock.

The Graphic Balloon.

Since the attempted ascension last month, the Graphic Balloon has been reconstructed by Mr. Donaldson, who announced his intention of starting on the deferred trip on Saturday last. The boisterous winds which prevailed on that day prevented the ascension, and the obliging aeronaut consoled the disappointed visitors at the Capitoline Grounds by taking a trip skyward about 5 o'clock in his small balloon. He passed over New York, entering New Jersey above Fort Lee, and came down in Bergen county, near Englewood.

On Monday morning fair weather having been predicted, preparations at once began for another inflation. This process was successfully accomplished by 8 o'clock, and shortly after 9 the aerial voyagers left the earth. The party consisted of Messrs Donaldson, Lunt and Ford. The balloon took a north-easterly direction, passing over Glen Cove, L. I., at 9:30. It disappeared from sight in New York at 10:30.

Late in the afternoon intelligence was received from New Canaan, Conn., that the balloon had met with a misfortune. The dispatches state that in the midst of a terrible storm of rain the balloonists tried to effect a descent. They thought it necessary to leap out as they came near the earth. Donaldson and Ford did so, from a height of twenty feet, but Lunt, who hesitated, was carried off, clinging to the anchor ropes. Donaldson and Ford fell on the farm of Charles Davis, near New Canaan, Conn., at 1:15 o'clock. Being driven to the town, they found Mr. Lunt there before them, safe. It appears that after Donaldson and Ford jumped out, the balloon bounded up the side of a mountain, and dropped among the branches of a tree. The storm, which was raging violently at that time, carried the balloon up the mountain, but it was subsequently found a mile away from Canaan.

The following is Mr. Lunt's account of his adventure: "We were attacked by a tremendous squall of wind and rain at fifteen minutes past one o'clock, and were driven near the earth with frightful velocity. Everything was thrown overboard without avail, and as we were dashed to the earth Donaldson and Ford sprang out, and the balloon shot into the air, bearing me with it, and was speedily in the storm-cloud again and being whirled about in the most alarming manner. I shouted to Donaldson for directions, but could hear no reply, and was left to my own resources. The bag was shaking about above me with awful force, and I could see nothing, so thick was the cloud. I seized the valve-cord and attempted to open it. Could not open it. The cord became entangled with the wreck. Suddenly tree tops shot up through the fog, and in the branches, I climbed out of the boat to a place above the ring, and as the balloon rushed into a thicket of trees I swung myself out and dropped among the branches. The boat scraped over me and detached my hands. I dropped to the earth, surprised to find myself unhurt. I started to walk back in the supposed right direction, and met four men running after me. I offered them a large reward to capture the balloon, then out of sight, and they went in pursuit in the locality of Canaan, Ct. I was driven to the station by Dr. William Adams, where Ford and Donaldson arrived soon after."

We understand measures are on foot to put in the belfry of the Old Presbyterian Church a new bell in place of that which has recently given decided evidence of imperfection. No one who has been long a resident of our village—certainly no native resident, can fail to be interested in this measure. For more than half a century, until very recently, the only bell that sent out an invitation to the places of Sabbath worship, and in fact, to any public assembly, was rung from this belfry. The Bloomfield public will feel that they have a common interest in having one of their cherished associations maintained. Not to hear the sound of the bell going out from this time-honored landmark would almost make one think that some terrible calamity was at hand. And as the "Old Church on the Green" has a special claim upon Bloomfield, having been identified with her earliest history, we hope sufficient interest will be taken by the people of the church as well as the citizens generally to secure a much larger and better toned bell than that which lately failed.

The contest for the Mayoralty in Newark next Tuesday promises to be a lively one. The Sunday question enters largely into consideration, and the Democrats, eager to take advantage of what appears to be a *faux pas* on the part of the Republicans, are confident of electing their candidate. The N. Y. Times hints that the Newark Republicans have been taught a lesson which may have the effect of making them pay more attention, hereafter, to the "primaries."

The Evangelical Alliance has been in session in New York since Thursday of last week. This important body represents the moral worth and controlling spirit of Protestant Orthodox Christianity throughout Europe and America. Its assemblage at this time is regarded as one of the distinguishing events of the day, bringing together as it does so many eminent members of the Protestant Clergy.

The first colored high school building erected in the State of Kentucky was dedicated on Wednesday, at Louisville, with interesting ceremonies. The building is a fine structure, costing \$25,000 and will accommodate 600 pupils.

ABOUT TOWN.

The street lamp-posts have arrived.

Now is the time to gather autumn leaves.

Last year's overcoats were sought after on Tuesday.

Get your bill heads, cards, etc., printed at the home office.

Attention is called to the advertisement of "The Montclair Library."

The Bellville avenue sidewalk has been graded and is now ready for the flagging.

The people residing on Bay street are rejoicing in the prospect of having that street straightened.

Mrs. J. F. Folsom has been seriously ill with neuralgia of the heart, but happily, is now recovering.

Olive Branch Lodge No 58 will pay a fraternal visit to Farnsworth Lodge 143, Jersey City Heights, on Tuesday Evening next.

The store of H. L. Van Gieson, at Watessing, was entered by thieves on Saturday night and robbed of a large quantity of goods.

A West End man purchased a hat on tick, last week and now he is head over ears in debt. He should have paid cash, and bought it of Corey & Stewart.

The Town Committee have made a cross-walk on Broad street opposite R.N. Dodd's. They have also erected wooden steps on each side by which this walk can be reached.

The Fifth Lecture Course of the Euclidean Society, which is advertised elsewhere, is a fine one, embracing as it does three excellent lectures, a reading, and a grand concert. The course is well worthy the attention and support of the Bloomfield public.

East Orange reports a recent bona fide real estate transaction amounting to \$45,000. It was the property of Mr. Ogden, a three-story and French roof house and five acres of ground. The purchaser is A. Hepful, Esq., who will take possession at once, making it his residence.

Messrs. Halsey, Hunter & Halsey of Newark, publish this week their usual Fall Advertisement. We commend this clothing establishment to our readers, knowing that here they may rely upon finding an unusually choice stock of made-up clothing, and at prices in accordance with the times.

A California town has "neither a barroom nor a minister of the gospel within its limits."

Bloomfield are much better cared for. We have seven churches and twenty-two licensed saloons and taverns.

The entertainment given by the ladies of the Montclair Congregational Church came off on Wednesday evening of last week, and was in every respect, a noteworthy success. The exercises in the lecture room, consisting of music and tableaux were admirably arranged and conducted. The singing by the quartettes was unusually fine. The tableaux were spoken of as among the best ever produced in Montclair.

The Township Committee met in regular session on Friday afternoon. No business of importance was transacted. Several small bills were audited and ordered paid. Mr. L. Martin, through a legal representative, appeared before the committee in reference to an encroachment made upon his property by laying the flagging at the junction of Bloomfield Avenue and Broad street, and desired payment for the ground appropriated. The committee signified a willingness to remove the flagging if Mr. Martin wished them to do so, but declined to enter into negotiations for the purchase of the property.

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On Saturday the Buddington party of the Polar survivors arrived at New York in the City of Antwerp steamer. They were interviewed by press reporters, but were enjoined to relate nothing of their experience until after the examination before the Naval Board at Washington, whither the party have gone in the Tallapoosa.

The last scene in the Modoc drama was enacted at Fort Klamath on Friday, when Captain Jack, Schonchin, Black Jim and Boston Charley were hanged in accordance with the finding of the Military Commission and order of the President and Secretary of War.

The restoration of the Monarchical form of government in France is being actively discussed in Europe. According to the Paris Journal, a proposition for the re-establishment of the Monarchy in France will be made to the Assembly on its opening day.

The yellow fever still prevails in Shreveport and Memphis. On Monday there were in the latter city thirty-seven interments from the fever. President Grant has directed the sending of 10,000 rations to the sufferers.

Educational interests appear to be at ebb in Washington, D. C. Eight of the schools have closed for want of funds and fuel.

STATE ITEMS.

As the boat Gregory was approaching her slip, at Jersey City, at eleven o'clock, on Tuesday night, a lady, whose name was not ascertained, undertook to leap to the bridge. She missed her footing and fell between the boat and the pier into the water. A deck hand, who had noticed the accident, plunged into the water and rescued her. It is a matter of surprise that in falling she was not crushed between the boat and the pier.

Donaldson, the aeronaut, in an account of his ascension on Saturday, states that when he was passing over Englewood a man deliberately discharged a gun at him, supposing, from the absence of the car, that the "Magenta" was a paper balloon.

The new reservoir of the Newark Aqueduct Board gave way on Sunday. A section of the wall forty feet long was undermined, the disaster owing, it is thought, to the nature of the ground underneath the reservoir. It will cost from \$5,000 to \$10,000 to repair the damage.

The New Jersey Midland R. R. Co. has assumed possession of that road by the forfeiture of the conditions of its lease to the N. Y. & Oswego Midland Railroad.

The Hiram Davis farm comprising eighty acres, in East Newark, has been sold to a New York company for \$200,000. Quite a heavy transaction.

On Saturday afternoon a boy named R. Cornelius, aged about fourteen years, fell between the cars near Port Jervis, N. J., and was instantly killed.

In the Supreme Court at Trenton, on Tuesday, Dabos E. Culver, President of the Montclair Railway, was adjudged a bankrupt. His liabilities are estimated at five to eight millions.

A postal service has been ordered on the Midland Railroad from Jersey City to Ringwood furthence.

The Constitutional Commission is in Session at Trenton, and important amendments have been offered.

An embalmer named Sherwood visited Fort Klamath, the other day, to inquire about Capt Jack's remains; he had negotiated with Jack, he said, for his body after death, and had his receipt, showing that he had already paid the purchase-money. The officers thought that the body would be the property of the government, whereat Sherwood said he should bring suit to recover it, but finally concluded to open a correspondence with the secretary of war about it. He intends to embalm the body and exhibit it around the country.

Died.

Died.—In Bloomfield, Oct. 6th, Mary Sayre, wife of Alan N. Dodd, in the 77th year of her age. Invited to attend the funeral from her late residence on Friday, at 2 1/2 P. M.

Died.—In Montclair, Oct. 4th, Frederick Burnett, in his 61st year. Buried in the cemetery on Friday, at 10 days.

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LOST.

ON THURSDAY, SEPT. 28, a SMALL BROWN BAG. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at the Post Office.

NOTICE.

THE REPUBLICANS of the Township of Bloomfield are respectfully invited to attend a Meeting to be held in the Lecture Room of the Presbyterian Church on MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 14th 1873, to appoint Delegates to the County and Assembly Conventions.

By Order

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The sale of property in the above stated matter stands adjourned until Thursday, the Sixth day of November, next, at two o'clock P. M., at the same place, at the same house, or the premises, on the south-east corner of Mountain Avenue and Union Street, in Montclair, Essex County, N. J.

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ROBERT M. HENING,

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